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September 19, 2017

TO:

Council Members

FROM:

Melanie Bachman, Executive Director

RE:

PETITION NO. 1312 – Candlewood Solar LLC petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 20 megawatt AC (26.5 megawatt DC) solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located on a 163 acre parcel at 197 Candlewood Mountain Road and associated electrical interconnection to Eversource Energy's Rocky River Substation on Kent Road in New Milford, Connecticut.

The Connecticut Siting Council has scheduled a field review for this petition on September 26, 2017 beginning at 1:30 p.m. A portion of the field review consists of a driving route; therefore, Council members are requested to meet at the Roger Sherman Town Hall, 10 Main Street, New Milford at 1:00 p.m. to carpool to the field review start point location.

The field review will commence at the grass area adjacent to the existing access on 197 Candlewood Mountain Road. Vehicles can be parked on the grass area. Other interested persons may attend the field review using their own vehicles.

A public hearing is scheduled for September 26, 2017 beginning with an evidentiary session at 3:00 p.m. and a public comment session at 6:30 p.m. at the Roger Sherman Town Hall, E. Paul Martin Road, 10 Main Street, New Milford.

c: Secretary of the State
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